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VIA EMAIL

Mr. Joe Milligan
Facility Manager
Basic American Foods
40 East 7th North
Rexburg, Idaho 83440

RE: Facility ID No. No. 065-00008, Basic American Foods, Rexburg
Draft Tier I Operating Permit for Public Comment

Dear Mr. Milligan:

The Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) has prepared a draft Tier I operating permit for the Rexburg facility of Basic American Foods, a Division of Basic American, Inc., in accordance with IDAPA 58.01.01.300 through 386, Rules for the Control of Air Pollution in Idaho. The permit application, the draft permit, and the statement of basis prepared by DEQ will be made available for public review and comment in accordance with IDAPA 58.01.01.364. DEQ will schedule a 30-day public comment period during which you, in addition to any concerned individual or party, may submit written comments or request a public hearing on the permit. To find the exact dates and all other information concerning this public comment period please go to our website:

<http://www.deq.idaho.gov/Applications/NewsApp/checkCommentCache.cfm>

Enclosed is draft Tier I operating permit No. T1-2008.0110 for your review. You may submit comments during the public comment period if you so choose through DEQ's website at <http://www.deq.idaho.gov> or directly to me at the email address below.

At the end of the public comment period, DEQ will prepare a written response to the public comments and incorporate changes in the permit as appropriate. A proposed permit will then be submitted to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency for its review as required by IDAPA 58.01.01.366.

If you have any questions regarding the draft permit or the public comment process, please contact me at (208) 373-0502 or zach.klotovich@deq.idaho.gov.

Sincerely,

Zach Klotovich

Zach Klotovich
Permit Writer

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Enclosure